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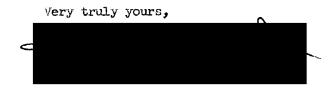
Reference is made to your letter of 11 January 1954 regarding the coordinated layout of mechanical equipment.

The coordinated layout of the mechanical work above the corridor ceilings (as well as that in the Penthouse) was called for in the specifications for the purpose of checking the Contractor's proposed scheme for installation of the mechanical work under the various trades before proceeding with the work. A continued effort should be made to require the Contractor to submit the drawings, and in this respect the Contractor should be notified that you can take no responsibility for approval of the work done prior to submission of the layout.

Should you require any technical assistance of this Office regarding the mechanical installation, it is suggested that specific problems together with the layout drawings received, be submitted at the earliest possible date.

It is considered desirable that leading echanical Engineer in Public Buildings Service, be called upon as necessary to assist with inspection and tests of the installation, with assurance that his time will be reimbursed as for other services extended by Public Buildings Service.

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